

In the Specification:

1. On page 2, replace the contents of the **Cross-Reference to Related Applications** section with the following:

--The present application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/002,064, co-pending, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,xxx,xxx, which claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 120 to U.S. Application Serial No. 08/938,227, filed September 26, 1997 (Attorney Docket No. RR2030), co-pending and now abandoned, and pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 119(e) to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/042,614, filed April 4, 1997 (Attorney Docket No. RR-2030P), all of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.--

2. On page 7, line 21, change "transmission its" to --transmission of its--.
3. On page 13, line 9, change "operation according" to --operation of the PCIUs 113, 116 and 118 according--.
4. On page 14, line 24, change "base switching center" to --base station controller--.
5. On page 18, lines 10-11, change "communications standard" to --communication standard(s)--.
6. On page 22, line 17, change "wherein receiving system" to --wherein the receiving system--.
7. On page 25, line 7, change "?. " to --. --.

In the Abstract:

1. On line 1, change "within" to --with--.
2. On line 2, change "area, supports" to --area and supports--.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-47 and insert the following new claim:

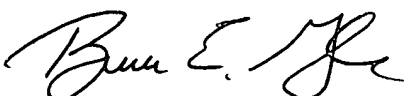
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1 --48. A mobile station comprising:  
2 a case;  
3 an antenna coupled to the case;  
4 a wireless interface disposed within the case and coupled to the antenna that facilitates  
5 communication with the at least one base station to receive a broadcast message from the base  
6 station, the broadcast message indicating the plurality of frequency bands and the plurality of  
7 communication protocols;  
8 the wireless interface also facilitating transmission of a request to the base station based  
9 upon contents of the broadcast message, the request requesting additional information regarding  
10 one of the plurality of frequency bands or one of the plurality of communication protocols  
11 supported by the base station;  
12 the mobile station selecting a frequency band from the plurality of frequency bands  
13 within which to operate;  
14 the mobile station selecting a communication protocol from the plurality of  
15 communication protocols within which to operate; and  
16 the subscribing unit communicating with the base station within the selected frequency  
17 band and according to the selected communication protocol.--

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